Mr. H. C. Dasappa.—

If so, have you ascertained the circulation of each paper, published within the State?

General Secretary to Government.—

It has been ascertained in respect of papers about which there was any doubt.

Mr. H. C. Dasappa.—

Is the "Mysore Star" one such?

General Secretary to Government.—

I want notice.

BY. MESSRS. PATTABHIRAMA SETTY (Chiknaikanhalli Urban), B. HANUMANTHE GOWDA (Tumkur Rural), VENKATASUBBIAH (Gubbi Rural), S. LINGAPPA and G. KANCHAPPA (Chiknaikanhalli Rural).—

Q.—18. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the number of major and minor tanks (district-war) in the State which are actually serving as sources of irrigation to wet lands;

(2) how many of these were completely filled during 1927-28;

(3) the number of tanks below which the yield of crop was less than four annas;

(4) the number of tanks below which the yield of crop was more than four annas;

(5) how many tanks were personally inspected by the Revenue Jamabandi officers;

(6) in what districts and under what tanks remission of wet assessment was granted;

(7) whether the raiyats of wet lands below the Kandikere tank of Chiknaikanhalli Taluk applied for remission and how many such applications were received in the Chiknaikanhalli Taluk Office;

(8) what kinds of crops were sown in the wet lands below Kandikere tank and how long is it since this tank was filled;

(9) what is the number of applications for remission that were received in the whole province and in how many cases remission was granted?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—18. The information received so far in regard to questions (1) to (6) and (9) is given in the following statement:—

District	Major Tanks	Minor Tanks	Completely filled in 1927-28	Tanks below which yield was less than 4 annas	Tanks inspected by Revenue and Jamabandi Officers	Remission granted	No. of Remission applications received and number sanctioned
Bangalore ..	350	1,042	918	28	586	..	43
Kolar ..	614	3,697	1,200	19	648	19 Recommended	26 received 19 recommended
Tumkur ..	398	1,465	..	..	..	..	..
Mysore ..	182	585	304	73	288	53 Notification dated 29th Feb. 1928	70 received 53 recommended
Hassan ..	257	4,597	2,757	36	706	2	10 received 6 rejected 2 sanctioned 2 under correspondence
Shimoga ..	566	7,231	4,733	253	407	..	2 received and rejected
Kadur ..	116	2,656	2,743	..	336	..	8 received and 2 sanctioned
Chitaldrug ..	161	173	141	6	259	2	

(7) One application was received.

(8) Til, Navane, Ragi, Bengal gram; Green gram, Paddy. The tank discharged seven years ago.

BY MR. B. CHENNAPPA (Yedatore Rural).—

Q—20. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether it is a fact that lands have been given to Vedasastra Poshini Sabha of Melkote in Sonthanahalli village;

(2) if so, how many acres and at what rate;

(3) whether it is a fact that these lands were applied for by land-owners whose lands were submerged under Krishnaraja Sagara Scheme;

(4) whether endorsements have not been issued by the Special Land Acquisition Officer that lands cannot be granted in exchange;

(5) what is the cost of the submerged lands;

(6) whether a third of the submerged extent was not

taken by Government the lands available for being granted in exchange not being of sufficient extent;

(7) whether it is proper that the extent that remains after meeting the demands of the owners of the submerged lands should be granted to Veda Thantraposhini Sabha?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—20. (1) to (7) Information has been called for.

Supplementary Questions and Answers.

Mr. G. Chennappa.—

Will the information be furnished as soon as it is received?

Chief Secretary to Government.—

Yes.

Mr. S. N. M. Razvi.—

May I know when it will be done—whether it will be sent to our address or furnished here at the next session?

Legal Remembrancer.—

We will send it to the member concerned.

Mr. S. N. M. Razvi.—

Why not to all? It could be done at least when the Assembly meets again.

Dewan.—

We will do it, or publish it in the Gazette.

BY MR. H. B. GUNDAPPA (Hassan Rural).—

Q.—25. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the total amount of grant given by the Government to the cities of Mysore and Bangalore respectively during the last twelve years;

(*b*) the total amount of grant given during the same period to all the towns and minor municipalities put together;

(*c*) the amount given for the improvement of all the villages in the State for the same period, yearwar ?